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JOSE ORTIZ,	\mathbb{S}	
Individually and on behalf	\mathbb{S}	Civil Action No. 5:20-cv-00503-OLG
of all others similarly situated,	S	
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Plaintiff,	S	
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V.	S	JURY TRIAL DEMANDED
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TRINIDAD DRILLING, LLC., and TRINIDAD	S	
DRILLING, LP,	S	
	S	COLLECTIVE ACTION
Defendants.	Š	PURSUANT TO 29 U.S.C. § 216(b)
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ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO DISMISS WITH PREJUDICE AND FOR APPROVAL OF SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

On this day, the Court considered the Plaintiff's Unopposed Motion to Dismiss with Prejudice and for Approval of Settlement Agreement ("Motion"), requesting approval of the Settlement Agreement ("Agreement") and resolution and dismissal of all claims against Defendants Trinidad Drilling, LLC and Trinidad Drilling, LP ("Defendants") by all Plaintiffs, with prejudice to re-filing. After considering the Motion, the pleadings on file, and the arguments of counsel, if any, the Court is of the opinion that the Motion has merit and should be in all things GRANTED. The court incorporates the defined terms in the Settlement Agreement on file into this order, and finds the settling parties are represented by counsel, the settlement was negotiated at arm's length, the settlement fairly resolves a *bona fide* wage dispute, and the terms of the settlement and apportionment of the proceeds are fair and reasonable. In sum, the settlement is in the best interest of all settling parties. This document is a judgment and the above-captioned case may be closed.

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ORDERED this 11th day of August, 2021.

HON. ORLANDO L. GARCIA

CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE